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Applicant: Michael D. Jines et al.
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Attached please find the following for filing in the above-identified application:

- (1) Letter in Compliance with Duty of Candor and Good Faith (2 pages).

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PATENT APPLICATION

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LETTER IN COMPLIANCE WITH DUTY OF CANDOR AND GOOD FAITH

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

A Notice of Allowance dated June 30, 2006 in the above-referenced case indicates a patent term adjustment of 101 days. Although ultimately the patent term adjustment of 101 days is correct, Applicant wishes to clarify a statement made in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement mailed June 21, 2006 and received by the Patent Office on June 26, 2006.

The Supplemental IDS was accompanied by a statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.97(e)(1) even though Applicant was entitled to include a statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.704(d). The 1.97(e)(1) statement said "I hereby certify that each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this information disclosure statement." This statement of certification lacks the statement that the foreign patent office communication was not received by any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. 1.56(c) more than 30 days prior to the filing of the IDS. The information in question was an international

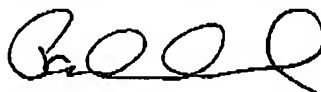
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search report and written opinion dated June 2, 2006 and received by our office on June 5, 2006. Because the IDS was mailed on June 21, 2006, the Applicant was entitled to make the 37 C.F.R. 1.70(4)(d) certification but failed to do so. Had the Applicant not been entitled to make the 37 C.F.R. 1.70(4)(d) certification, the Applicant should have seen a reduction in patent term adjustment of 19 days to a total of 82 days.

Because the Applicant was entitled to make the 1.70(4)(d) certification, Applicant hereby states that the foreign patent office communication was not received by any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. 1.56(c) more than 30 days prior to the filing of the June 21, 2006 Information Disclosure Statement. Thus, Applicant is entitled to the full 101 day patent term adjustment.

Applicant believes that no fee is necessary along with this letter. However, Applicant authorizes the patent office to charge any applicable fees or deposit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.

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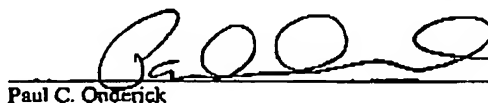
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